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Poland – Sale of F-16 Fighters and Support Equipment

On 8 June, the Defense Security Cooperation Agency notified Congress of a possible Foreign Military Sale of F-16 Aircraft and associated equipment and services.

The program could include 44 F-16 C/D Block 50/52 aircraft with engines, 12 F-16A Block 15 Air Defense Fighter aircraft with engines, Four F-16B Block 10 Operational Capabilities Upgrade (OCU) aircraft with engines, two F-16A Block 10 OCU aircraft for cannibalization, six Pratt and Whitney F-100-PW-229 or F-110-GE-129 spare engines, two each F-100-PW-200 or F-100-PW-200E engines, five spare APG-68VxM radar sets, two spare AN/APG 66 radar sets, 120 LAU-129 launchers, 384 AIM-120C Advance Medium Range Air-to-Air Missiles (AMRAAM), six AIM-120C AMRAAM Air Vehicle Instrumented missiles, 384 AIM-9M-2 SIDEWINDER missiles, 24 AIM-9M-2 SIDEWINDER training missiles, 816 AGM-65G MAVERICK short-range air-to-ground class guided missiles, 24 TGM-65G MAVERICK training missiles, 232 MK-84 Joint Direct Attack Munition tail kits, 20 AN/ARC-210 SINCGAR radios with HAVE QUICK II, 44 AN/ALQ-131 or AN-ALQ-184 Electronic Counter Measure pods, 36 each PATHFINDER/SHARPSHOOTER (LANTIRN derivative) navigation and targeting pods or 36 LITENING pods, 7,000 2.75 inch rockets, 920 MK-83 1000kg general-purpose bombs, 232 MK-84 2000kg general purpose bombs, 384 CBU-87 combined effects bomblet bombs, 232 GBU-16 and 232 GBU-10 guided bomb units, and 340,000 20mm cartridges. Associated support equipment, software development/integration, practice bombs, training missiles, ammunition, spare and repair parts, flight test instrumentation, publications and technical documentation, personnel training and training equipment, U.S. Government and contractor technical and logistics personnel services, and other related requirements to ensure full program supportability. The estimated total cost is \$4.3 billion.

The proposed sale will contribute to the foreign policy and national security of the United States by improving the military capabilities of Poland while enhancing weapon system standardization and interoperability with U.S. forces. The proposed sale would enhance NATO interoperability and simultaneously provide operational capabilities as Poland's inventory of Soviet-era aircraft is eventually retired.

The proposed sale of this equipment will not affect the basic military balance in the region.

The principal contractors will be Lockheed Martin Tactical Aircraft Systems in Fort Worth, Texas; Pratt and Whitney of East Hartford, Connecticut; General Electric in Cincinnati, Ohio; Raytheon Corporation in Lexington, Massachusetts, and Boeing Company in Seattle, Washington. One or more proposed offset agreements may be related to this proposed sale.

There will be no adverse impact on U.S. defense readiness as a result of this proposed sale.